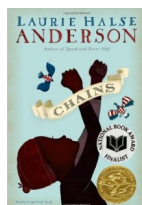


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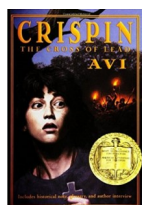
## Suggested Reading List

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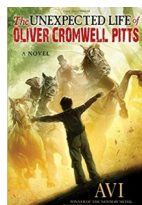
### YA Fiction ANDERSON L CHAINS\*

After being sold to a cruel couple in New York City, a slave named Isabel spies for the rebels during the Revolutionary War.



### Juv Paperback AVI CRISPIN: THE CROSS OF LEAD\*

An orphaned peasant boy in fourteenth-century England flees his village and meets a larger-than-life juggler who holds a dangerous secret.



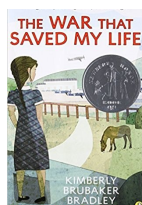
### Juv Fiction AVI THE UNEXPECTED LIFE OF OLIVER CROMWELL PITTS

In 1724 England, Oliver embarks on a journey from his seaside home in Melcombe Regis to London.



### Juv Fiction BECKHORN S THE WOLF'S BOY

Marked as *tabat*—the unlucky one—Kai and his wolf, Uff, must brave the long winter together and learn what it takes to survive on their own.



### Juv Fiction BRADLEY K THE WAR THAT SAVED MY LIFE\*

A young disabled girl and her brother are evacuated away from London and their abusive mother to the English countryside during World War II.



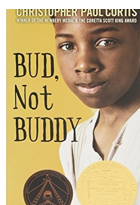
### Juv Fiction CAO W BRONZE AND SUNFLOWER

Taken in by a poor family in a rural village, Sunflower bonds with the family's only child, Bronze, who has not spoken since being traumatized by a terrible fire.



### Juv Fiction COATS J THE MANY REFLECTIONS OF MISS JANE DEMING

Jane is excited to be part of an expedition to bring orphans and Civil War widows to Washington Territory.



### Juv Paperback CURTIS C BUD, NOT BUDDY

Bud, a motherless boy living in Michigan during the Great Depression, escapes a bad foster home and sets out in search of the man he believes to be his father.



### Juv Fiction CUSHMAN K THE MIDWIFE'S APPRENTICE

In medieval England, a nameless, homeless girl is taken in by a sharp-tempered midwife.



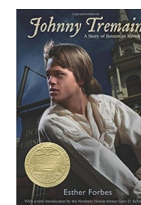
### Juv Fiction DRAPER S STELLA BY STARLIGHT

When a burning cross set by the Klan causes panic and fear in 1932 North Carolina, fifth-grader Stella must face prejudice in her segregated town.



### Juv Paperback FLEISCHMAN S BY THE GREAT HORN SPOON

When Jack's aunt is forced to sell her beloved mansion to pay her debts, Jack decides to help her by going to California in search of gold.



### Juv Paperback FORBES E JOHNNY TREMAIN

After injuring his hand, a silversmith's apprentice in Boston becomes a messenger for the Sons of Liberty in the days before the American Revolution.



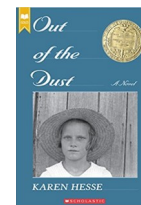
### Juv Fiction FRANK S ARMSTRONG & CHARLIE

During the pilot year of a Los Angeles school system integration program, two sixth grade boys, one black and one white, become best friends.



### Juv Fiction GRATZ A REFUGEE

Josef, a Jewish boy living in 1930s Germany; Isabel, a Cuban girl in 1994; and Mahmoud, a Syrian boy in 2015, embark on harrowing journeys in search of refuge.



### Juv Paperback HESSE K OUT OF THE DUST

In a series of poems, fifteen-year-old Billie Jo relates the hardships of living on her family's wheat farm in Oklahoma during the dust bowl years of the Depression.



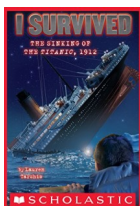
### Juv Graphic Novel HIDDEN HIDDEN

A grandmother shares the story of her experiences in WWII with her grandchild in this graphic novel.



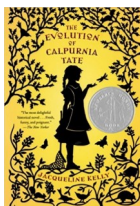
### Juv Fiction HOLM J TURTLE IN PARADISE\*

In 1935, when her mother gets a new job, eleven-year-old Turtle is sent to stay with relatives she has never met in far away Key West, Florida.



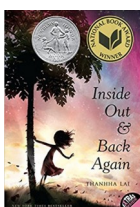
**Juv Series I**  
**I SURVIVED THE SINKING OF THE TITANIC, 1912**

Excited to board the Titanic, George has just begun to explore when the ship is rocked by a collision with an iceberg.



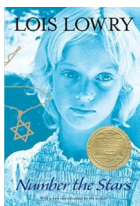
**Juv Fiction KELLY J**  
**THE EVOLUTION OF CALPURNIA TATE\***

Growing up in rural Texas in 1899, Callie can't seem to give up her fascination with nature despite her mother's disapproval.



**Juv Paperback LAI T**  
**INSIDE OUT AND BACK AGAIN**

Through a series of poems, a young girl chronicles the life-changing year of 1975, when she, her mother, and her brothers leave Vietnam and resettle in Alabama.



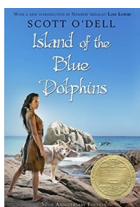
**Juv Paperback LOWRY L**  
**NUMBER THE STARS**

In 1943, during the German occupation of Denmark, ten-year-old Annemarie helps shelter her Jewish friend from the Nazis.



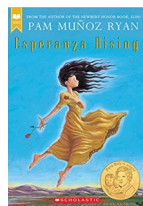
**Juv Graphic Novel NATHAN**  
**NATHAN HALE'S HAZARDOUS TALES: ONE DEAD SPY\***

Meet history's roughest, toughest, and craziest stories in graphic novel format, starting with the Revolutionary War.



**Juv Paperback O'DELL S**  
**ISLAND OF THE BLUE DOLPHINS**

Left alone on an isolated island, a young Indian girl spends eighteen years surviving through her enormous courage and self-reliance.



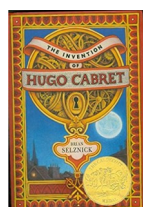
**Juv Paperback RYAN P**  
**ESPERANZA RISING**

Esperanza and her mother are forced to leave their life of wealth and privilege in Mexico to go work in the labor camps of Southern California.



**Juv Paperback RYAN P**  
**RIDING FREEDOM**

A fictionalized account of Charley Parkhurst, who ran away from an orphanage and posed as a boy to become a stagecoach driver in California.



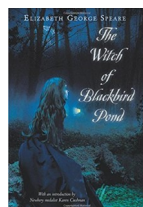
**Juv Fiction SELZNICK B**  
**THE INVENTION OF HUGO CABRET**

Hugo, an orphan living within the walls of a Paris train station in 1931, meets a mysterious toymaker.



**Juv Paperback SPEARE E**  
**THE SIGN OF THE BEAVER**

Left alone to guard the family's wilderness home in eighteenth-century Maine, a boy is hard-pressed to survive until local Indians teach him their skills.



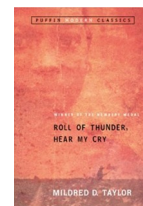
**Juv Paperback SPEARE E**  
**THE WITCH OF BLACKBIRD POND**

In 1687 Connecticut, Kit Tyler, feeling out of place in the Puritan household of her aunt, befriends an old woman considered a witch by the community.



**Juv Fiction STRANGE L**  
**THE SECRET OF NIGHTINGALE WOOD**

In 1919, Henrietta discovers that the woods behind her house contain secrets that will change her life forever.



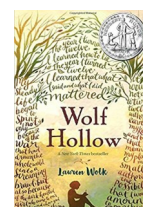
**Juv Paperback TAYLOR M**  
**ROLL OF THUNDER, HEAR MY CRY**

A black family living in Mississippi during the Depression of the 1930s is faced with prejudice and discrimination that its children do not understand.



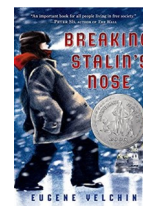
**Juv Fiction VANDERPOOL C**  
**MOON OVER MANIFEST**

In the summer of 1936, Abilene is sent to stay with an old friend in Manifest, Kansas, where she hopes to find out some things about her father's past.



**Juv Fiction WOLK L**  
**WOLF HOLLOW**

Annabelle is bullied mercilessly by Betty, a new girl in her rural Pennsylvania town. But when Betty disappears, suspicion falls on Annabelle's friend and protector.



**Juv Fiction YELCHIN E**  
**BREAKING STALIN'S NOSE**

In Stalinist Russia, Sasha is forced to examine his own perceptions, values, and beliefs when his father is taken away by the police.



**Juv Paperback YEP L**  
**DRAGONWINGS**

In the early twentieth century, a young Chinese boy joins his father in San Francisco and helps him realize his dream of making a flying machine.



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